

# Idaho Department of Parks & Recreation GRANT WORKSHOPS

## Waterways Improvement Fund Recreational Vehicle Program Off-Road Motor Vehicle Fund Recreational Trails Program Land and Water Conservation Fund

The Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation (IDPR) will be conducting combined grant workshops on the above-listed programs, in various areas of the state. The purpose of these workshops will be to review the administrative rules and guidelines, give instruction on how to fill out an application and explain the evaluation process. All prospective grantees are encouraged to attend these free workshops.

If you plan to attend, please **RSVP no later than October 20, 2004** by calling Kathy Muir at 334-4180 Ext. 258 or TDD 1-800-377-3529.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TOWN</u>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<u>TIME</u>
October 27	Boise	Doubletree Hotel - Riverside 2900 Chinden Blvd.	9:00 am to 12:00 pm
October 28	Twin Falls	AmeriTel Inn – Twin Falls 1377 Blue Lakes Blvd. N.	1:00 pm to 4:00 pm
October 29	Idaho Falls	Shilo Conference Hotel 780 Lindsay Blvd	9:00 am to 12:00 pm
November 9	Post Falls	Red Lion Templin's 414 E. I <sup>st</sup> Ave.	I:00 pm to 4:00 pm
November 10	) Lewiston	Red Lion Lewiston 621 21st St	9:00 am to 12:00 pm

NOTE: The grant applications for these programs must be recieved no later than 5:00 p.m. January 28, 2005.



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## **MEMORANDUM**

DATE: September 27, 2004

TO: Potential Grant Applicants

FROM: Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation

State & Federal Aid Program

**SUBJECT:** Funding for Recreational Improvements

The Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation (IDPR) announces that applications for funds from the Recreational Vehicle Program, Waterways Improvement Fund, Off-Road Motor Vehicle Fund, Recreational Trails Program, and the Land and Water Conservation Fund will be accepted until January 28, 2005.

The **Recreational Vehicle Program (RV)** is used to provide facilities, programs, or services for the health, safety or enjoyment of recreational vehicle users. Recreational vehicles are motor homes, travel trailers, pickup campers, tent trailers, and van conversions.

The Waterways Improvement Fund (WIF) is used for the protection and promotion of safety, waterways improvement, creation and improvement of parking areas for boating purposes, boat ramps and moorings, marking of waterways, search and rescue, and all things incidental to such purposes including the purchase of property.

The **Off-Road Motor Vehicle Fund (ORMV)** is used to acquire, purchase, improve, repair, maintain, furnish, and equip off-road vehicle facilities on public or private land and to assist with the enforcement of laws and regulations governing the use of off-road vehicles.

The **Recreation Trails Program (RTP)** is used to acquire, purchase, improve, repair and maintain trails, trail facilities and sites for **both motorized and non-motorized** trail uses.

The Land and Water Conservation Fund is granted to local governments for outdoor recreation enhancements such as playgrounds, ball fields, swimming pools, tennis courts, etc.

If you are considering a project that may qualify for IDPR grant funding, it is recommended that you contact your regional Grants Specialist now. For northern Idaho call Tami Johnson at (208) 769-1511; for the Boise or Twin Falls area call Jill Murphey at (208) 334-4180 Ext. 226; and for eastern Idaho call Heather Westenzweig at (208) 525-7121. Fall is a great time to schedule a visit with IDPR staff or advisory committee members to let them know what you are planning.

On the reverse side of this memo is a notice announcing the upcoming IDPR grant workshops for the above-listed programs. Agency representatives that plan to apply for funding from any of these programs are <u>strongly encouraged</u> to attend. If you plan to attend one of these workshops, please RSVP to Kathy Muir at (208) 334-4180 Ext. 258 prior to October 20, 2004.